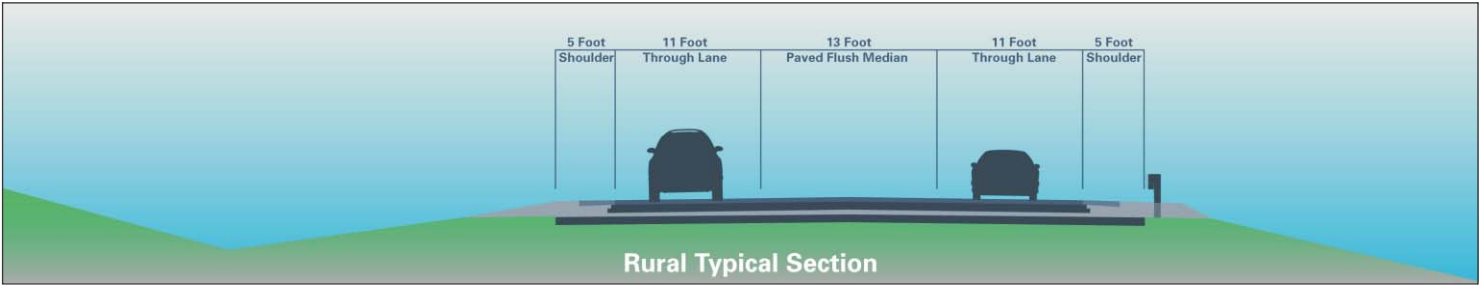
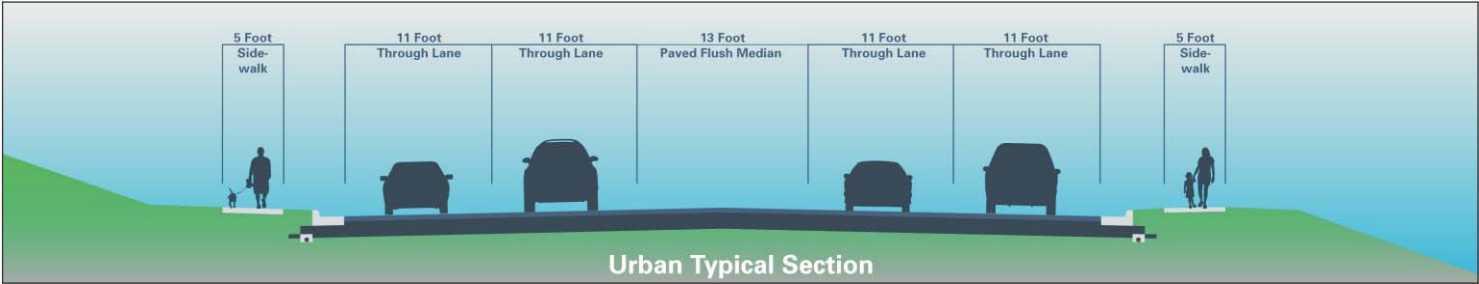
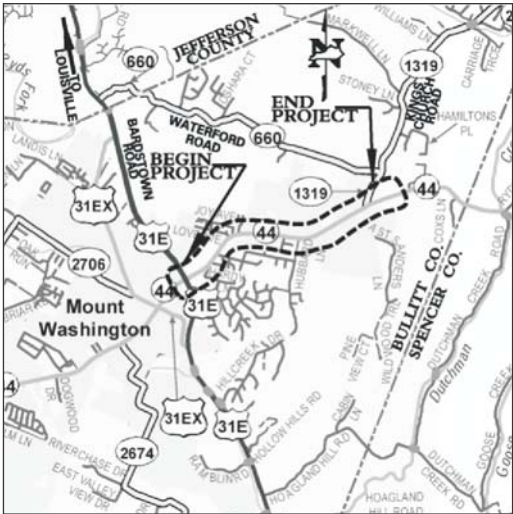


The Transportation Cabinet (KYTC) welcomes you to a public meeting for the KY 44 Road Improvements. The purpose for this meeting is to present the purpose and need for the project, and to present several alternative solutions that have been developed to address these needs. In order to assist in the design and development of these projects, we request that the public provide comments on the alternatives and their potential impacts to you and your community.

KYTC appreciates your involvement in this project, and we encourage you to visit the information displays and speak with the project team members. Please take the time to look around, ask the design team questions, and complete the “Comment Form” provided. Please leave the completed form in the box near the sign-in table as you leave or take the form home with you and submit it at a later date. Preaddressed envelopes will be provided for your convenience at the public meeting. All written comments will be accepted until March 13, 2009.

CURRENT CONDITIONS

- Narrow 2-lane road with no turn lanes
- High traffic volumes
- Expanding development of adjacent properties
- Very little pedestrian friendly areas for travel (sidewalk, bike lanes, crosswalks, etc.)
- Increasing traffic & congestion along KY 44
- School bus and school event congestion
- Dangerous intersection at East Sanders Lane
- Rapidly growing commercial & residential community



Frequently Asked Questions

■ *When will this work take place?*

The 2008 Highway Plan has funding programmed for right of way and utility phases. However, these funds are state construction funds and due to budget difficulties, they may not be available in 2010.

No money is available for Construction at this time. However, this Design effort will provide a sound cost estimate for future construction.

■ *What are the project goals?*

- Blend the new roadway seamlessly with its surroundings while improving congestion and safety issues
- Improve the capacity to accommodate future traffic volumes
- Improve intersection safety & capacity
- Accommodate bike and pedestrian traffic
- Improve school related traffic congestion issues

■ *What are the next steps?*

After the public meeting, the following steps are to be taken for this project.

1. KYTC will review and consider all comments received.
2. Meetings will be held to review public comments and the preliminary alignments.
3. KYTC will recommend one alternative to move forward.

■ *The plans displayed here show a portion of my property within the limits of construction. How does KYTC go about acquiring the right-of-way?*

Upon completion of right-of-way plans, KYTC (and its ensigns) will assess the fair market value for that portion of the property being acquired. A formal offer will then be made to the property owner.

■ *Who do I contact with concerns or questions?*

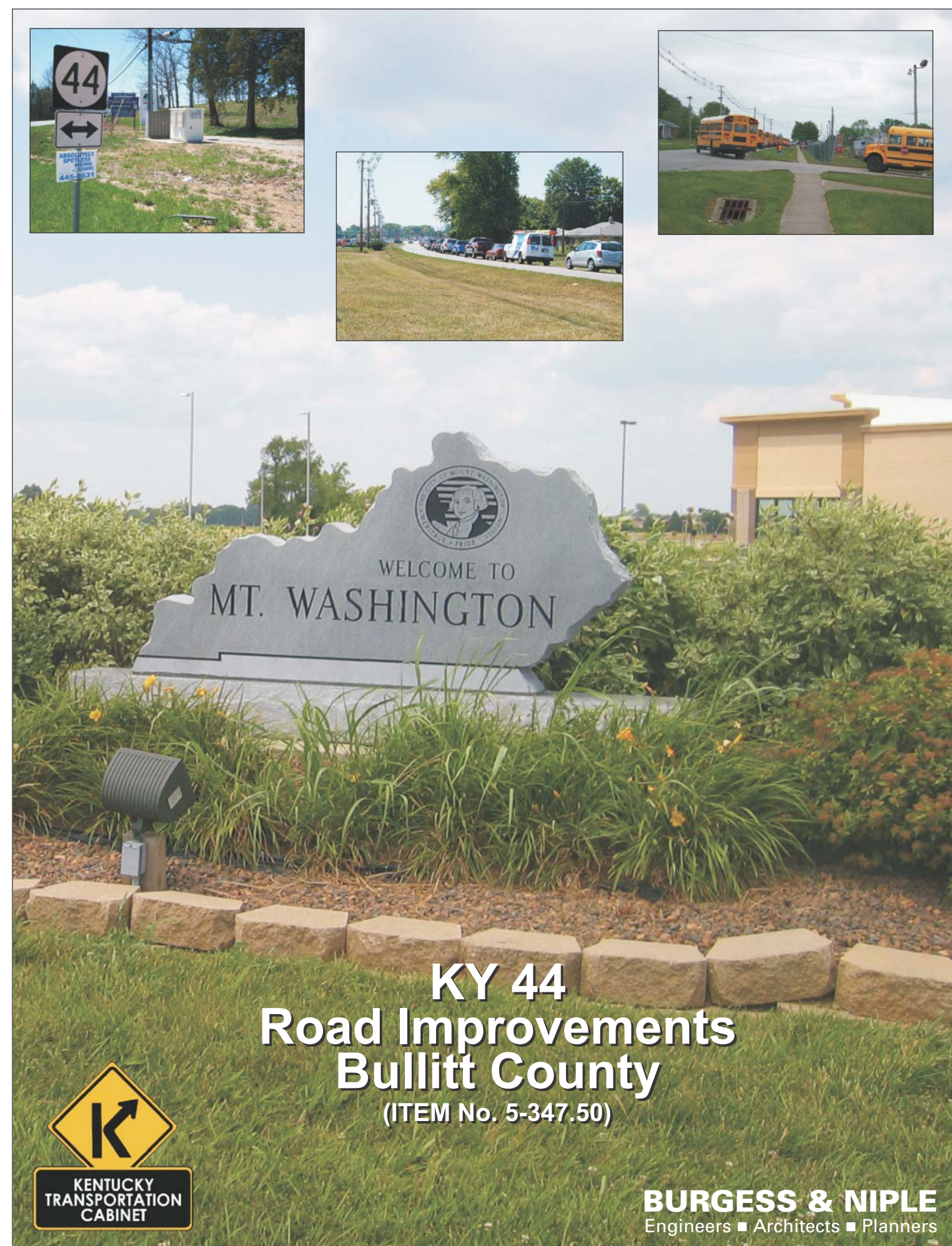
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